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PATENT APPLICATION

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CASE:

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TITLE:

Protocol-Independent Packet Delineation For Backplane Architecture

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Enclosed are the following papers relating to the above-named application for patent:

1. Transmittal Letter (1 page & 2 copies);

2. Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (5 pages); and

3. Patent Application with Informal Drawings (1 Cover Page; 9 Pages of Specification; 4 Pages of Claims; 1 Page of Abstract; 2 Sheet(s) of Drawings).

CLAIMS AS FILED				
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	CALCULATIONS
Total Claims	34 - 20=	14	x \$18 =	\$ 252.
Independent Claims	4 - 3=	1	x \$80 =	\$ 80.
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Claim(s), if applicable			\$270 =	s
Basic Fee				\$ 710.
			TOTAL FEE:	\$1.042.

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